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In re application of: Wang et al.

Attorney Docket No.:  
NOVLP085/NVLS-2875

Application No.: 10/785,235

Examiner: Fernando L. Toledo

Filed: February 23, 2004

Group: 2823

Title: PLASMA DETEMPLATING AND  
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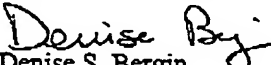
Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	41	MINUS	41	00	x 25 =	x 50 =
Independent Claims	02	MINUS	03	00	x 100 =	x 200 =
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid						
Total					\$	\$

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a \_\_\_\_ month extension(s) of time to respond to the  
aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is  
determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension  
be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time  
under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☐ Enclosed is our Check No. \_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_ to cover the additional  
claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the  
enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. NOVLP085).

Respectfully submitted,  
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**RESPONSE D**

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 30, 2006 in the above-identified  
application. Please consider the following remarks:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.